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PARA 3 REFTEL INDICATED GOJ DECISION TO PERMIT 35 PERCENT INCREASE IN CONSUMER PRICE OF RICE. HOWEVER, GOJ DECISION JULY 22 WAS FOR 37 PERCENT INCREASE IN PRICE AT WHICH GOJ'S FOOD AGENCY WILL PURCHASE 1974 RICE CROP FROM PRODUCERS. RESALE PRICE SCHEDULED TO INCREASE 10 PERCENT ON OCTOBER 1, FOOD AGENCY BEARS DEFICIT BETWEEN PURCHASE PRICE AND RESALE PRICE. DEFICIT WILL BE DIMINISHED TO EXTENT THAT GOJ DECIDES TO INCREASE RESALE PRICE FURTHER. IN FACT, IT IS LIKELY THAT RESALE PRICE WILL BE INCREASED BY ABOUT 30-40 PERCENT BEFORE OCTOBER 1.
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